

Witnesses heard on granting of a rule were Representatives Walter, Libonati, Foley, and McCulloch.

#### SPACE ACT

*Committee on Rules:* Granted an open rule, with 2 hours debate, on H.R. 12049, to amend the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958.

Witnesses testifying on granting of a rule were Representatives Brooks of Louisiana, McDonough, Sisk, and King of Utah.

#### NORMAN PROJECT

*Committee on Rules:* Granted an open rule, with 2 hours debate, on S. 1892, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Norman project, Oklahoma.

Witnesses heard on granting of a rule were Representatives Aspinall, Hosmer, Jarman, and Saylor.

#### JOINT COMMITTEE

*Committee on Rules:* Held a hearing on granting of a rule on H. Con. Res. 661, to create a Joint Committee on a National Fuels Policy, and heard testimony from Representatives Aspinall, Saylor, Boggs, Fenton, Stubblefield, Siler, and Dent. Hearings will be continued on this resolution.

### Joint Committee Meetings

#### NOMINATION

*Joint Committee on Atomic Energy:* Committee held hearings on the nomination of Loren K. Olson, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, with testimony from AEC Chairman John A. McCone, and the nominee.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on foreign tax credit bill.

Tuesday, May 31, 1960

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 11442-11445*

**Bills Introduced:** 6 bills were introduced, as follows:  
S. 3607-3612. Page 11443

**Bill Reported:** Report was made as follows: H.R. 3375, to encourage and stimulate the production and conservation of coal in the U.S. through research and development, with amendments (S. Rept. 1494). Page 11443

**Foreign Tax Credit:** Senate worked on H.R. 10087, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 so as to permit taxpayers to elect an overall limitation on the foreign tax credit, adopting amendments, as follows:

All committee amendments, en bloc; Anderson amendment to add provision on overpayments; and two Gore amendments (1) barring credits when certain information respecting foreign corporations is not furnished, and (2) requiring returns as to creation or organization, or reorganization, of foreign corporations.

Pages 11445-11446, 11450, 11460-11462, 11477-11480

**Confirmation:** One judicial nomination was confirmed. Page 11480

**Nomination:** One Army nomination was received. Page 11480

**Adjournment:** Adjourned at 4:36 p.m.

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### Committee Meetings

#### APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

*Committee on Appropriations:* Continuing its hearings on H.R. 12231, fiscal 1961 appropriations for military construction, subcommittee received testimony from Brig. Gen. R. H. Curtin, Deputy Director for Real Property, and other Air Force officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### MILITARY PROCUREMENT

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee continued its hearings on military procurement practices, having as its witnesses Cecil P. Milne, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Materiel; and Philip B. Taylor, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Materiel.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

#### SUMMIT CONFERENCE

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee continued its executive hearings on the recent summit conference and events incident thereto, having as its witness Allen W. Dulles, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**AIR CARRIERS**

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* The Aviation Subcommittee met in executive session to consider S. 1543, relating to the issuance of certificates of public convenience to supplemental air carriers, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call of the Chair.

**POLITICAL BROADCASTING**

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* The Communications Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration an original joint resolution relating to the use of television broadcasting stations by candidates for the offices of the President and the Vice President of the United States. This proposal would suspend section 315 of the Communications Act as it applies to such candidates for the 1960 campaign.

**SHIPPING**

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee resumed

its hearings on the decline of coastal and intercoastal shipping, having as its witnesses John C. McWilliams, a transportation consultant, Washington, D.C.; J. Lucian Gilbert, traffic director, port of New Orleans; and William C. Ott, National Industrial Traffic League.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**FLOOD CONTROL—RIVERS AND HARBORS**

*Committee on Public Works:* Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 7634, omnibus river and harbor and flood control authorization bill. As approved, the bill would provide approximately \$1.58 billion.

**SENATE RESTAURANT**

*Committee on Rules and Administration:* Subcommittee on the Restaurant held an executive meeting to discuss the renewal of the contract for Senate restaurant facilities, but took no action, and recessed subject to call.

## House of Representatives

**Chamber Action**

**Bills Introduced:** 8 public bills, H.R. 12447-12454; 2 private bills, H.R. 12455 and 12456; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 544, were introduced. Page 11494

**Bills Reported:** Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 10777, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 1673);

Twenty-four private bills, S. 1223, 1752, 1909, 1912, 2046, 2142, 2177, 2247, 2352, 2384, 2418, 2443, 2486, 2532, 2538, 2554, 2566, 2635, 2769, 2776, 2792, 2821, H.J. Res. 721, and 722 (H. Repts. 1674-1697, respectively);

S.J. Res. 39, relative to granting representation in the electoral college to the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 1698); and

H.R. 12381, Public Debt and Tax Rate Extension Act of 1960 (H. Rept. 1699). Pages 11493-11494

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business. Pages 11480-11494

**Bills Referred:** Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 11493

**Adjournment:** Adjourned at 12:43 p.m.

**Committee Meetings****ARMED SERVICES PROCUREMENT ACT**

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Procurement held a hearing on H.R. 12299, to amend the

Armed Services Procurement Act, and heard testimony from Perkins McGuire, Assistant Secretary of Defense. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 1.

**FEDERAL RESERVE ACT**

*Committee on Banking and Currency:* Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 12346, to amend the Federal Reserve Act to extend for 2 years the authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations from the Treasury. Testimony was given by Representative Patman, and Julian B. Baird, Under Secretary, Department of the Treasury.

**MINIMUM WAGE**

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Labor Standards met in executive session to start markup of H.R. 4488, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 in regard to increasing the Federal minimum wage to \$1.25 an hour.

**INDIANS**

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 10450, to provide for reimbursement of termination costs involved in termination of Menominee Tribe for Federal jurisdiction; H.R. 10451, to provide that documentary stamp taxes shall not be applicable to transactions involved in termination of Menominee Tribe from Federal jurisdiction; H.R. 11476, to authorize Federal loans to assist the Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin, or



its successor entity, in the conduct of its affairs; and H.R. 11813, to amend the Menominee Termination Act. Testimony was given by Representative Laird; Department of Interior officials; and various members of the Menominee Tribe.

Also the subcommittee considered H.R. 7701, 8033, and 8590, to provide a program for an Operation Bootstrap for the American Indian in order to improve conditions among Indians on reservations and in other communities. Representatives Berry, Langen, and Short testified on the bills. Hearings will continue on H.R. 7701, 8033, and 8590 Wednesday, June 1.

#### COMMITTEE BUSINESS

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made and the committee will continue Wednesday, June 1.

#### TRANSPORTATION AND AERONAUTICS

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held an executive discussion on its calendar of bills. No announcements were made, and the subcommittee will continue, in executive session, Wednesday, June 1.

#### JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4390, for the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif.; and

H.R. 10060, for the relief of certain employees and former employees at the Naval Weapons Plant in Washington, D.C.

The committee also took action on several private claim and private immigration bills, and ordered tabled H.R. 9776, for the relief of the city of New York.

#### FEDERAL FISHING STAMP

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:* The Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 11410, to provide for the issuance of a Federal fishing stamp, to give the consent of Congress to a compact relating to the use of a Federal-State fishing stamp in connection with noncommercial fishing licenses for nonresidents of States. Witnesses were heard from the Department of Interior and the Park Service. Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 1.

#### SOCIAL SECURITY

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Met in executive session to consider proposed amendments to the Social Security Act. No announcements were made and the committee will continue Wednesday, June 1, in executive session, on this subject.

### Joint Committee Meetings

#### RADIATION PROTECTION

*Joint Committee on Atomic Energy:* Continuing its hearings on radiation protection standards, the Special Subcommittee on Radiation had as its witnesses Dr. Russell Morgan, radiologist in chief, Johns Hopkins University; W. A. McAdams, General Electric Co.; and Dr. J. Healy, Hanford Laboratories, General Electric Co., Hanford, Wash. The witnesses discussed the social and economic concepts underlying radiation protection standards.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, June 1, 1960

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill on foreign tax credits.

See Résumé of Legislative Activity.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 11503-11525*

**Bills Introduced:** 5 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3613-3617; S.J. Res. 199; and S. Res. 329.

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**Bills Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

S. 3383, relating to the acquisition of land or rights-of-way in connection with watershed protection works, with amendment (S. Rept. 1495);

H.R. 4595, to make uniform certain provisions of law relating to special postage rates for educational, cultural,